POLREP #24
EXETER PCB SITE
HOPEWELL MILL COMPLEX
115 SOUTH MAIN STREET
HOPEWELL, VA 23860

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I. SITUATION (AS OF 1930 HOURS WEDNESDAY MARCH 17, 1993)

- A. OSC STEUTEVILLE ON-SITE. OSC WAGNER COORDINATING ENFORCEMENT ACTIVITIES FROM OFF-SITE.
- B. OSC REVIEWED LIST OF ARARS PROVIDED BY VADWM AND NOTIFIED VADWM OF THE OSC'S INTENT TO COMPLY WITH REGULATIONS REGARDING HANDLING OF DRUMS AND TANKS IF EPA PURSUES DRUM AND TANK DISPOSAL.
- C. CURRENTLY, A PRP (FIRESTONE), IS HANDLING DRUMS AND TANKS; OSC STEUTEVILLE SENT A COPY OF ALL VIRGINIA ARAR INFORMATION TO THE PRP (FIRESTONE).
- D. OSC STEUTEVILLE HAS REFERRED A REQUEST FROM THE HOPEWELL FIRE MARSHALL FOR AIR PURIFYING RESPIRATORS (APR) TO FIRESTONE.
- E. OSC WAGNER, REVIEWING THE RESPONSE ACTION PLANT (RAP). SUBMITTED BY FIRESTONE.
- F. PERSONNEL ON-SITE: EPA: 1, TAT: 3, ERCS: 6, VA DES: 1, CITY OF HOPEWELL OFFICIALS: 4, LOCAL NEWS MEDIA: 1.
- H. WEATHER: RAIN ALL AFTERNOON; TEMPS IN THE 40'S TO 50'S.
- I. LOCAL SUPPORT BY CITY OF HOPEWELL OFFICIALS CONTINUES.
- J. A SET OF DOORS TO NORTH WAREHOUSE NOTED TO HAVE BEEN KNOCKED DOWN AND MAY BE THE RESULT OF VANDALISM .
- K. ESTIMATED COSTS TO DATE: (AS OF COB 03/16/93)

	ESTIMATED COSTS	CEILING
ERCS	\$101,344	\$ 731,500
TAT	\$ 28,820	\$ 77,000
EPA	\$ 28,278	\$ 138,500
VA DES	<u>\$ 900</u>	
TOTAL CONT.	\$159,342	\$ 947,000

II. ACTIONS TAKEN

- A. SITE SECURITY DURING OVERNIGHT HOURS CONTINUED.
- B. ASBESTOS AIR MONITORING CONTINUED WITH INDOOR SAMPLE STATIONS, FOUR SAMPLES OBTAINED.
- C. SOIL SAMPLE LOCATIONS MARKED OUT FOR LAGOON AND LANDFILL AREA.
- D. APPROXIMATELY 270 CAPACITORS DETERMINED TO CONTAIN PCB OIL OVERPACKED AND RESTAGED IN THE DRUM STORAGE AREA WAREHOUSE.
- E. DECONTAMINATION OF THE PCB STAINED AREAS IN THE DRUM STORAGE AREA WAREHOUSE COMPLETED. THE AREA WAS DECONTAMINATED WITH SOLVENT AND INDUSTRIAL CLEANING SOLUTION. ALL WASTES WERE DRUMMED FOR PROPER DISPOSAL.

- F. SITE PREPARED AND SECURED FOR DEMOBILIZATION OF PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT. COMMAND POST AND NECESSARY SUPPLIES LEFT ON-SITE AND UTILITIES REMAIN ON-LINE.
- G. ALL LOCAL AND STATE OFFICIALS APPRISED OF ACTIVITIES TO DATE. ON-SITE MEETING ATTENDED BY VA DES, CITY OF HOPEWELL: FIRE MARSHAL, BATTALION CHIEF, AND EMERGENCY SERVICES COORDINATOR. OSC REVIEWED ACCOMPLISHMENTS TO DATE AND PROVIDED PROPOSED SCHEDULE FOR FUTURE ACTIONS.

III. FUTURE ACTIONS

A. CONTINUE 24-HOUR ON-SITE SECURITY GUARD WHEN PERSONNEL OFF-SITE.

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- B. CONTINUE TO COORDINATE WITH ENFORCEMENT OSC TO DEVELOP A WORK PLAN CONSISTENT WITH-THE ADMINISTRATIVE ORDER AND WITH ONGOING SITE ACTIVITIES.
- C. EPA AWAITING RECOMMENDATION FROM ATSDR CONCERNING ASBESTOS REFERRAL.
- D. TRANSPORTATION AND DISPOSAL OF PCB TRANSFORMERS AND CAPACITORS TO BE ARRANGED.
- E. SAMPLES TO BE OBTAINED TO CONFIRM DECONTAMINATION OF THE PCB STAINED AREAS IN THE DRUM STORAGE WAREHOUSE.
- F. FINAL REPORT FOR GEOPHYSICAL SURVEY OF LANDFILL AND LAGOON AREAS TO BE SUBMITTED.
- G. ERCS TO CONDUCT WEEKLY INSPECTIONS ON-SITE.
- H. SURFACE SOIL SAMPLES TO BE COLLECTED FROM THE LAGOON AND LANDFILL AREAS.

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